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**Harry J. Butler Papers**

1.25 linear feet, 2 flat boxes and 1 .25 MB  
1907-1959

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**Accession Number:** WSP000042

**Creator:** Harry J. Butler, M.D., 1875-1965.

**Acquisition:** Donated to the Reuther Library in 1959.

**Language:** Material entirely in English.

**Access:** Collection is open for research.

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**Abstract**

Dr. Harry J. Butler graduated from the Detroit College of Medicine in 1910 and passed the Michigan Board Exam the same year. This collection contain medical specimen slides, writings by Butler, a history of his graduating class, news clippings, and documents relating to the State Board of Registration exam for medicine.

**Arrangement**

The collection is grouped by material type. Boxes 2 and 3 contain medical specimen slides.

**Box 1**

1. Letter, 1907
2. Detroit Academy of Medicine membership, 1869-1896
3. Detroit Medical Journal, 1919
4. History of the Class of 1910 and other items from Detroit College of Medicine, 1907-1943
5. Michigan State Board of Registration in Medicine exam, 1910
6. Eye test chart, n.d.
7. Detroit College of Medicine History 1910, Harry J. Butler, 1910
8. Preceptors, 1959
9. "Clinics and the Out-Patient Department about 1910", 1959
10. "The Book Business at Detroit College of Medicine, 1894-1911," 1959
11. Papers, 1959
12. Newspaper clippings, ca. 1933
13. Medical Registration Certificate, 1910
14. Caricatures of scientists, n.d.

**Box 2-3**

1. Medical specimen slides, ca. 1909